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Applicants : BRIGGS, Barry Dean et al.

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For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR BODY FLUID SAMPLING AND  
ANALYTE SENSING

Commissioner for Patents  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application on the merits, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 5.